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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I need to see fiber broadband stay competitive! My provider is Sonic.net. I have used several alternatives and none of them have anything like the good support that Sonic has. They are not as reliable or cost-effective as Sonic.

I am a consumer and small business owner who depends on low cost, reliable high speed fiber broadband for my household and business. Since I got fiber to the home my productivity as a software developer has improved a lot.

I started with DSL using a local company that went bankrupt, then ATT, then Sonic. Sonic has been much better the whole time.

I also have a land line phone service via Sonic and depend on that.

Thanks,

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